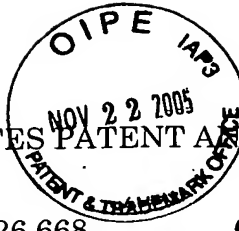


IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



Application No. : 10/726,668 Confirmation No.: 5844
First Named Inventor : Shigeki YAMADA
Filed : December 4, 2003
TC/A.U. : 3748
Examiner : Thai B. Trieu
Docket No. : 056207.52990US
Customer No. : 23911
Title : Position Control Method by Motor Drive and
Control Unit

**PETITION FOR ACCEPTANCE OF UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED
PAYMENT OF ISSUE FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137**

Mail Stop Petition

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby respectfully petition for acceptance of an unintentionally delayed payment of the issue fee for the above-referenced application. The expiration of the period for paying the issue fee was November 15, 2005.

It is hereby stated that the payment of this issue fee was unintentionally delayed, and that the entire delay was unintentional.

The required issue fee of \$1715.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.18(a) is attached hereto.

A check in the amount of \$1500.00 is also attached herewith to cover the petition fee.

Having satisfied all of the requirements of the interim rules of 37 C.F.R. § 1.137, acceptance of the unintentionally delayed payment of the issue fee for the above-referenced application is respectfully requested.

Application No. 10/726,668
Petition dated November 22, 2005

It is respectfully requested that, if necessary to effect a timely response, this paper be considered as a Petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response and shortages in other fees, be charged, or any overpayment in fees be credited, to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, L.L.P., Account No. 05-1323, Docket No.:056207.52990US.

Respectfully submitted,

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